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# *East Asian Studies Center*

eNewsletter

**January 16, 2018**

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## **SPACE AND PLACE**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2018 | SOS B40 | [RSVP](#) | [FLYER](#)**

The second annual [Interdisciplinary Symposium on East Asian Business](#) will take place on February 9. The theme for 2018 is [Space and Place](#) which includes the role of business in everything from real estate development to city planning and in defining spaces for consumption, social activity and politics. The two panels will focus on the issues of resource utilization and the Chinese real estate markets, through various disciplines including Architecture, Engineering, International Relations, Public Policy, Business and History. To view the schedule and a complete list of presenters, discussants and paper topics, please click [here](#).

### **EVENT REMINDER**

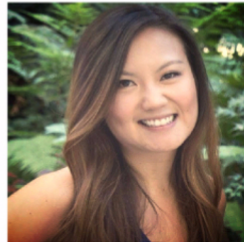
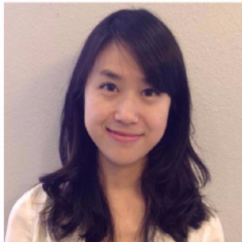
**Public Speaking - Lecture**

**Mon, Jan 29 | 12:00 - 1:30 PM | SOS B40 | [RSVP](#)**

The first [Graduate Professionalization Series](#) of 2018 will be [Public Speaking - Lecture](#), which will take place on Monday, January 29. **Steven**



**Lamy**, Professor of International Relations and Director of the Dornsife Task Force for Global and Political Studies, and **Saori Katada**, Associate Professor of International Relations, will lead this workshop. This workshop is specifically designed to help graduate students with presentation of lectures, and it will address concerns for both native and non-native English speakers. To attend please **RSVP** at least one week before the event.



### EVENT REMINDER

## East Asia Career Panel

**Thu, Feb 1 | 4:00 - 6:00 PM | STU B3 | **RSVP****

We welcome all USC students to join us for the sixth annual **East Asia Career Panel** as part of **USC Career Fest 2018**. EASC panelists will discuss how they utilized their East Asian languages and area studies skills in their careers. They come from East Asia-related professions in global marketing, advertising and design, social media, foreign affairs and international trade and commerce. The panel will be followed by a Q&A and networking opportunity. Please **RSVP** at least one week before the event.

## Funding Opportunities

### USC LIBRARIES RESEARCH AWARD

**Deadline: Saturday, January 27, 2018 at 5pm, PST**

Both undergraduates and graduate students are eligible to apply for the USC Libraries Research Award. A requirement of the submission is to have used a library service or resource, and to include reflection on that service or resource in a reflective essay. Undergraduate winners receive up to \$300, graduate winners up to \$500. Papers or projects must have been completed during the 2017 calendar year and in connection with a for-credit course or independent study at USC. For full information and to submit papers, please visit <http://libguides.usc.edu/researchaward>

### CIAC SMALL GRANTS: CHINA, TAIWAN OR INNER ASIA

**For AAS members | Application Deadline: Thursday, February 1, 2018, 5pm, EST**

The AAS/CIAC offers small grants for members working on China, Taiwan, or Inner Asia. Qualified individuals can apply for small grants up to \$2,000 in a number of categories including: research travel, travel for translation projects, conference and seminar organization, specialist or regional newsletters, and website development. Dissertation-level graduate students and scholars whose research concerns China, Taiwan or Inner Asia are invited to submit proposals. Please see the [website](#) for further details.

### NEAC JAPAN STUDIES GRANTS

**For AAS members | Application Deadline | Thursday, February 1, 2018 at 5pm, EST**

The AAS Northeast Asia Council (NEAC) offers Japan Studies grants as a result of generous

funding from the Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission. Grants are available in the following categories: United States or Japan research travel; Japan conference/seminar/workshop organization; invitation of a Japan distinguished speaker. Details and application forms and instructions can be found [here](#).

### NEAC KOREAN STUDIES GRANT

**For AAS members | Application Deadline | Thursday, February 1, 2018 at 5pm, EST**

The AAS Northeast Asia Council (NEAC) offers Korean Studies grants in the following categories: research travel outside of North America and Korea conference/seminar/workshop organization. Details and application forms and instructions can be found [here](#).

## Upcoming EASC Funding Deadlines

### FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES (FLAS) FELLOWSHIP

**For undergraduate and graduate students | Deadline: Friday, February 9, 2018**

FLAS fellowships are awarded to EASC by a U.S. Department of Education Title VI grant for undergraduate and graduate study of Mandarin Chinese, Japanese or Korean and East Asian area studies. The purpose of the program is to enrich the nation's pool of area and international specialists. Summer 2018 awards for intensive modern language programs will be \$7,500. Academic Year 2018-2019 awards for study at USC, abroad, or both will be \$15,000 for undergraduate students and \$33,000 for graduate students, contingent on continued funding from the U.S. Department of Education Title VI program.

[Website](#) | [Information Session Video](#) | [Flyer](#)

### ACE-NIKAIDO FELLOWSHIP

**For graduate students only | Deadline: Friday, February 9, 2018**

The Association for Japan-U.S. Community Exchange (ACE) - Nikaido Fellowship provides stipends of up to \$5,000 to awarded graduate students, depending on the proposed course of study. The purpose of the award is to advance understanding of Japan and/or US-Japan relations. Most awards are given in smaller increments based on proposed project. The award may be used for research, Japanese language training or Japanese area studies.

[Website](#) | [Information Session Video](#) | [Flyer](#)

## Events Around USC & LA

[Reading Seoul in Pyongyang - Talk by I Jonathan Kief](#)

Tuesday | January 16 | 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm | AHN 100

[Asignifying Rupture and Radical Finitude - Talk by Masaya Chiba](#)

Tuesday | January 16 | 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm | Doheney Memorial Library 110C

[Preservation of Buddhist Heritage in and outside Tibet](#)

Tuesday | January 16 | 5:00 pm | THH 309K

[Deities in Japanese Art , Session 5: Celestial Beings - Lecture](#)

Tuesday | January 16 | 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm | The Japan Foundation

[Dilemmas of a Trading Nation - Mireya Solis Book Launch](#)

Wednesday | January 17 | 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm | Rosen Family Screening Room, TCC

[The Good Child: Moral Development in a Chinese Preschool - Talk by Jing Xu](#)

Thursday | January 18 | 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm | UCLA

**Martial Arts in 1960s Chinese Cinema - Presentation by Melissa Chan**  
Thursday | January 18 | 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm | USC Pacific Asia Museum

**Historical Issue and Peace in Northeast Asia - Symposium**  
Friday | January 19 | 8:30 am – 12:30 pm | UCLA

**The Seoul of LA - Concert**  
Friday | January 19 | 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm | Korean Cultural Center

**Mandarin Teacher Leadership Institute: Session 2**  
Saturday | January 20 | 8:00 am – 5:00 pm | Occidental College

**Meditation in the Galleries**  
Saturday | January 20 | 10:00 am – 11:00 pm | USC Pacific Asia Museum

**Mifune: The Last Samurai - Screening**  
Saturday | January 20 | 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm | JANM

**Welfare and Warfare: Population Politics in Wartime Japan - Colloquium With Sujin Lee**  
Monday | January 22 | 12:30 am – 2:00 pm | UCLA

**Happiness in China: Virtue, Anxiety, and Family through the Years - Talk by Becky Hsu**  
Monday | January 22 | 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm | UCLA

**Noh Dance, Noh Life - Lecture and Demonstration by Master Michikazu Taneda**  
Monday | January 22 | 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm | The Japan Foundation

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